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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

HASSAN FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 18th February 1940.

ERRATUM.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the auction sale of timber at Hassan Depot will be held on Wednesday the 12th March 1940 instead of on 5th March 1940 as notified as per notification dated 3rd February 1940 printed on pages 264-265, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette,* dated 8th February 1940.

D. NARASIMHAMOORTHY RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 8th February 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification of date, regarding the auction sales of sawn materials on 21st March 1940 in the compound of Forest Quarters at Agumbe, published on pages 308-310, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette,* dated 15th February 1940.

Notification dated 20th February 1940.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting thupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserve lands and Plantations in the Honnali Taluk as noted below from the date of confirmation of sale up to end of June 1942 will be sold in auction subject to the following conditions:—

Taluk	Place of Sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
Honnali	Travellers' Bungalow, Honnali.	Wednesday 20th March 1940.	District Forest Officer, Shimoga or the Assistant to the District Forest Officer.

N.B.—(*a*) Government have reserved their power of issuing individual licenses for *bona fide* local consumers.

(*b*) Excludes the Produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village Forests.

1. The auction will commence at 3 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous lease will not be permitted to bid.

3. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer conducting the sale, a sum of Rs. 50. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

4. The above right of collecting and removing the produce will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk or District Treasury one-fourth sale amount (exclusive of the deposit amount already paid) together with Local Cess at one anna per rupee, Railway Cess at three pies per rupee and Education cess at six pies per rupee on the entire sale amount. In default of payment, the deposit already paid will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by such resale, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid it will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded.

7. The accepted bidder shall pay the balance of sale amount within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale and execute an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are:—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in Forest in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires, as may break out accidentally.

(*e*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the Forests all produce collected under the terms of the lease before the 30th June 1942.

(*f*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

8. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 25 which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

9. Interest at 6¼ per cent will be charged on all belated payments.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 3rd February 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, published on pages 310-311, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th February 1940, regarding tender for supply of rations to elephants of the Division.

Place.	*Date of receipt of tender.*
District Forest Office, Sagar	2nd March 1940.

Notification dated 24th February 1940.

SALE OF TIMBER.

It is notified for the general information that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots on the dates noted against the same:—

Name of depot	Date of sale	Teak logs	Sura-honne	Nandi	Honne	Other kinds	Remarks
Shiralkoppa	15-3-40	400	..	500	..	100	The sale will be conducted by the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, or any other officer deputed by him. The sale of timber will commence at 2 P.M. in all the depots on the dates fixed.

N.B.—Quantities noted are only approximate.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber not exceeding Rs. 200 in value, this deposit will not be insisted upon, provided that the full purchase money is paid in cash on the spot.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests if the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000 and to that of the District Forest Officer in other cases.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Act. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of the successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of notice of confirmation of the sale, whichever is later. The moneys shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct, within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale; and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the date of sale. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be

immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

13. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 6¼ per cent per annum from the date of their falling due up to the date of payment.

N. VENKATARAMAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Notification dated 23rd February 1940.

It is hereby notified for general information of the public under Section of the Mysore Forest Act that the following quantities of timber found unclaimed have been seized and kept in the custody of the persons noted against each. Persons having any claim to the said timber may prefer their claims within one month from the date of this notification failing which the timber shall lapse to Government under Section 42 of the said Act.

Name of Range	Kind	Quantity		Locality	Name of Custodian
		No.	C.ft.		
Bhadravati ..	Teak pieces	6	18	Viraktha Mutt of Kudligere village.	Mr. Chennappa, Patel, Kudligere.
Do ..	Do ..	1	6	Attigunda village ..	Do
Tarikere ..	Do ..	20	79	Mallenahalli Kaval, Amritapur Hobli, Tarikere Taluk.	Mr. Vergini Naika of Hosahalli Tandya, Tarikere Taluk.
Do ..	Teak logs	2	10	Nerlukere Village, Tarikere Taluk.	Mr. Prabhaiya of Nerlakere.
Do ..	Do ..	1	20	Near Hulikatte, Nagenhalli Village, Tarikere Taluk.	Mr. Mohamed Imam of Nagenahalli.

Notification dated 23rd February 1940.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, till 4 P.M. on Wednesday the 20th March 1940, for the supply of the following kinds and quantities of rations to the departmental elephants working in the Division, commencing from the date of execution of the agreement to the end of 31st January 1941.

2. The approximate quantity of rations is as follows :—

Paddy	500 pallas	More or less.
Salt	6 ,,	
Castor oil	50 maunds	
Paddy straw during hot weather	12,000 bundles	
Rice	10 pallas	

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in Currency Notes as earnest money, and be superscribed as "Tender for the supply of rations to elephants." The tender may be either for the whole Division or elephants working in any of the Ranges to be specified clearly.

4. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatsoever for the rejection of the same.

5. The name of the successful tenderer will be notified in due course on the notice board of the District Forest Office, Bhadravati Division, and the tenderer should, within a week of the intimation thereof, enter into an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract, duly furnishing a cash security deposit of Rs. 100 in the Government Treasury inclusive of the amount of earnest money already paid. In default to execute the bond and to furnish security deposit, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

6. The tenderer should supply the rations in time and at the appointed places to the Range Officer and should also be prepared to remove and replace all provisions which may be rejected by the Range Officers. In case he fails to do so, the supply will be made by the Department and

all extra charges will have to be borne by the contractor himself which will be recovered from the security deposit.

7. Once in a month, the tenderer will be paid through the Range Forest Officer for the value of the rations that may be supplied during the month on a bill to be prepared and sent to his office for sanction along with the receipts previously obtained by him for the supply of rations to the Range Officers after the bill is countersigned by the District Forest Officer.

8. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned to them immediately if they happen to be present at the time of opening of tenders and to others by post at their cost.

9. In all cases of disputes concerning the contract, the decision of the Conservator of Forests will be treated as final.

10. The contractor should also supply any special rations required whenever required at the current market rates.

11. For breach of any of the foregoing conditions, the District Forest Officer will be at liberty either to fine the contractor to the extent of Rs. 5 in each case or to cancel the contract at any stage and forfeit the deposit in full or part. The fine, if any levied on the contractor, will be recovered from the contractor's bill or security deposit.

12. The deposit of the contractor will be returned one month after the expiry of the contract period if the terms of the contract as per tender notification are fulfilled.

Form of Tender.

Sl. No.	Name of provision	Quantity	Rate	Remarks

H. S. RANGACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification dated 13th February 1940.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the detailed notification, calling for tenders for constructing New Research Laboratory in the Serum Institute, Hebbal, Bangalore, published in pages 361-363, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th February 1940. The last date for receipt of tenders is 2nd March 1940.

Abstract Notification dated 12th February 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification, calling for tenders for constructing a block of buildings in front of the existing blocks of the Middle School at Malleswaram, Bangalore City, on pages 363-365 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th February 1940. The last date for receiving tenders is 8th March 1940.

Abstract Notification dated 21st February 1940.

The attention of public is hereby invited to the detailed notification, calling for tenders for constructing extensions to Chemistry Block to Central College, Bangalore, published in pages 415-416, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd February 1940.

The last date of tender is 8th March 1940.